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Sir:

Submitted herewith are

- ~ Return Receipt Postcard;
- ~ Amendment (4 pages including this Transmittal); and
- ~ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any needed fees to deposit account 50-1600.

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the May 5, 2005 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office regarding the above-identified application. A response to the Office Action is due three months from the mailing date thereof. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed. Please amend the subject application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.